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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

DATE October 28, 1993

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

FILE NO. IAB 005584

FROM: BERT J. CUEVA, CAPTAIN
INTERNAL AFFAIRS BUREAU

TO: CAROLE A. FREEMAN, CAPTAIN
CENTURY STATION -
FIRESTONE FACILITY

SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF CONCLUSION OF SHOOTING REVIEW**

On June 18, 1993, Deputies [redacted] #[redacted] Jack Delmello, #[redacted] Vance Duffy, #[redacted] and Thomas Reid, #[redacted] were involved in a shooting incident.

Pursuant to Department policy, the Internal Affairs Bureau conducted an independent review of this matter.

Based on facts developed by the Internal Affairs Bureau, your Region Chief has determined that the shooting fell within Department policy. The investigative file regarding this incident has been made inactive.

BJC:arm

cc: File

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OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING EVALUATION

UNIT: FIRESTONE STATION
DATE: 06-18-93
TIME: 1908 HOURS
LOCATION: [redacted] CUDAHY STREET, WALNUT PARK

URN#: 093-04771-0178-055
IAB#: 005584
NATURE OF INCIDENT: DEPUTIES SHOOT AND KILL AN ARMED SUSPECT DURING A FOOT PURSUIT.

COMPLETED BY: Ken Fowler and Katie Campbell, Sergeants
Internal Affairs Bureau

DATE: June 30, 1993

REVIEWED BY THE FOLLOWING:

UNIT COMMANDER **DATE:**

AREA COMMANDER **DATE:**

DIVISION CHIEF **DATE:**

ASSISTANT SHERIFF: **DATE:**

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES - SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
INCIDENT DATA

WHAT INITIATED INCIDENT

Call	[X]	Observation	[ ]	Search Warrant	[ ]	Arrest Warrant	[ ]

LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE

[redacted] Cudahy Street, Walnut Park

TYPE OF LOCATION

Residence	[X]	Business	[ ]	Industrial	[ ]	Parking Lot	[ ]
Street	[ ]	Backyard	[X]	Freeway	[ ]	Rural	[ ]
Other	[ ]						

SHOOTING CONDITIONS

DATE	TIME	DAY
06-18-93	1908 Hours	Friday

LIGHTING	WEATHER
Daylight	Clear and Warm

DISTANCE

10 ' - 15'

CONTRIBUTING FACTORS

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CLASSIFICATION

ACCIDENTAL:	No
GUN TAKE-AWAY:	No
PERSON(S) ARMED:	Yes
PERSON(S) UNARMED:	No
STARTLE:	No
UNINTENTIONAL:	No
DEPUTY IN UNIFORM:	[X] RAID JACKET: [ ] PLAIN CLOTHES: [ ]
VEST WORN:	Yes
FOOT PURSUIT:	Yes
VEHICLE PURSUIT:	No
VEHICLE STOP:	No
TYPE OF HOLSTER:	Not Applicable
GUN IN HOLSTER:	No
STRUGGLE INVOLVED:	No

ADDITIONAL FACTS AND INFORMATION:

LOS ANGELES COUNTY - SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

DEPUTY INVOLVED

SHOOTER

EMPLOYEE'S NAME					
[redacted]					

RANK	EMPLOYEE NO.	UNIT AND DIVISION / REGION OF ASSIGNMENT
Deputy	[redacted]	[redacted]

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

DUTY STATUS	HIRE DATE
On Duty	[redacted]

UNIFORM	RAID JACKET	PLAIN CLOTHES	VEST
Yes	No	No	Yes

INJURED	DECEASED	CORONER'S CASE NO.
No	No	Not Applicable

DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES
Not Applicable

WEAPON USED

TYPE	AUTHORIZED
Beretta, 92F, 9mm autoloader	Yes - Beretta Conversion & Certification - [redacted]

AMMUNITION TYPE	AUTHORIZED
9mm	Yes

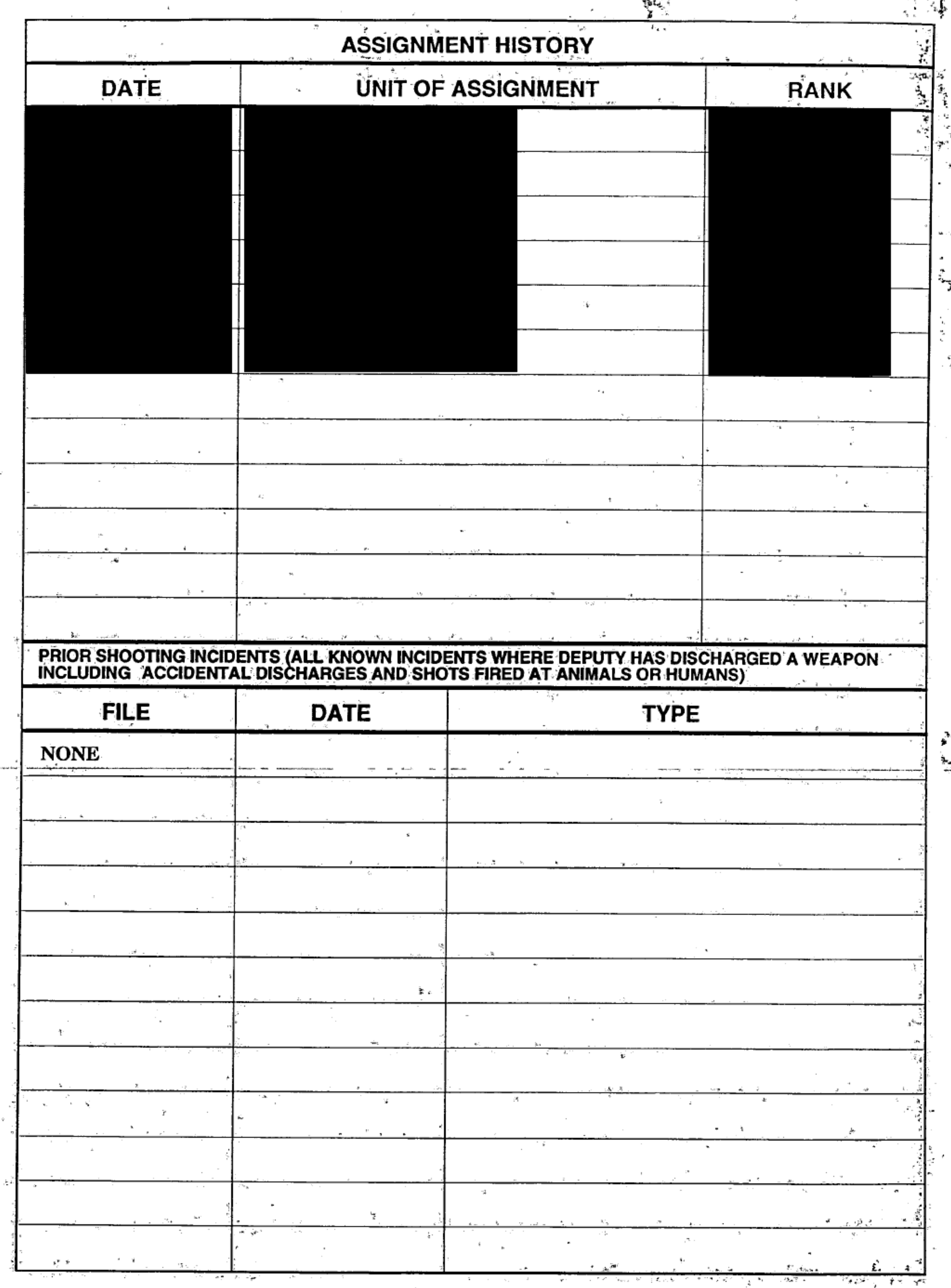
RANGE QUALIFICATION (LAST DATE)	NO. OF ROUNDS FIRED BY DEPUTY	NO. OF HITS
[redacted]	Two (2) Rounds	Unknown - See Narrative

DEPUTY'S TOXICOLOGY

UNDER THE INFLUENCE	TEST FOR CAUSE ORDERED	ORDERED BY
No	No	Not Applicable

TRAINING INFORMATION

LASER VILLAGE TRAINING (LAST DATE)	PRACTICAL POLICE COURSE (LAST DATE)
[redacted]	[redacted]



ASSIGNMENT HISTORY

DATE	UNIT OF ASSIGNMENT	RANK
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

PRIOR SHOOTING INCIDENTS (ALL KNOWN INCIDENTS WHERE DEPUTY HAS DISCHARGED A WEAPON INCLUDING ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES AND SHOTS FIRED AT ANIMALS OR HUMANS)

FILE	DATE	TYPE
NONE		

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DEPUTY INVOLVED

SHOOTER

EMPLOYEE'S NAME					
DEMELLO, Jack D.					

RANK	EMPLOYEE NO.	UNIT AND DIVISION / REGION OF ASSIGNMENT
Deputy	[redacted]	Firestone Station/Field Ops. Region II

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE
M	White	6'02"	205	[redacted]	[redacted]

DUTY STATUS	HIRE DATE
On Duty	[redacted]

UNIFORM	RAID JACKET	PLAIN CLOTHES	VEST
Yes	No	No	Yes

INJURED	DECEASED	CORONER'S CASE NO.
No	No	Not Applicable

DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES

Not Applicable

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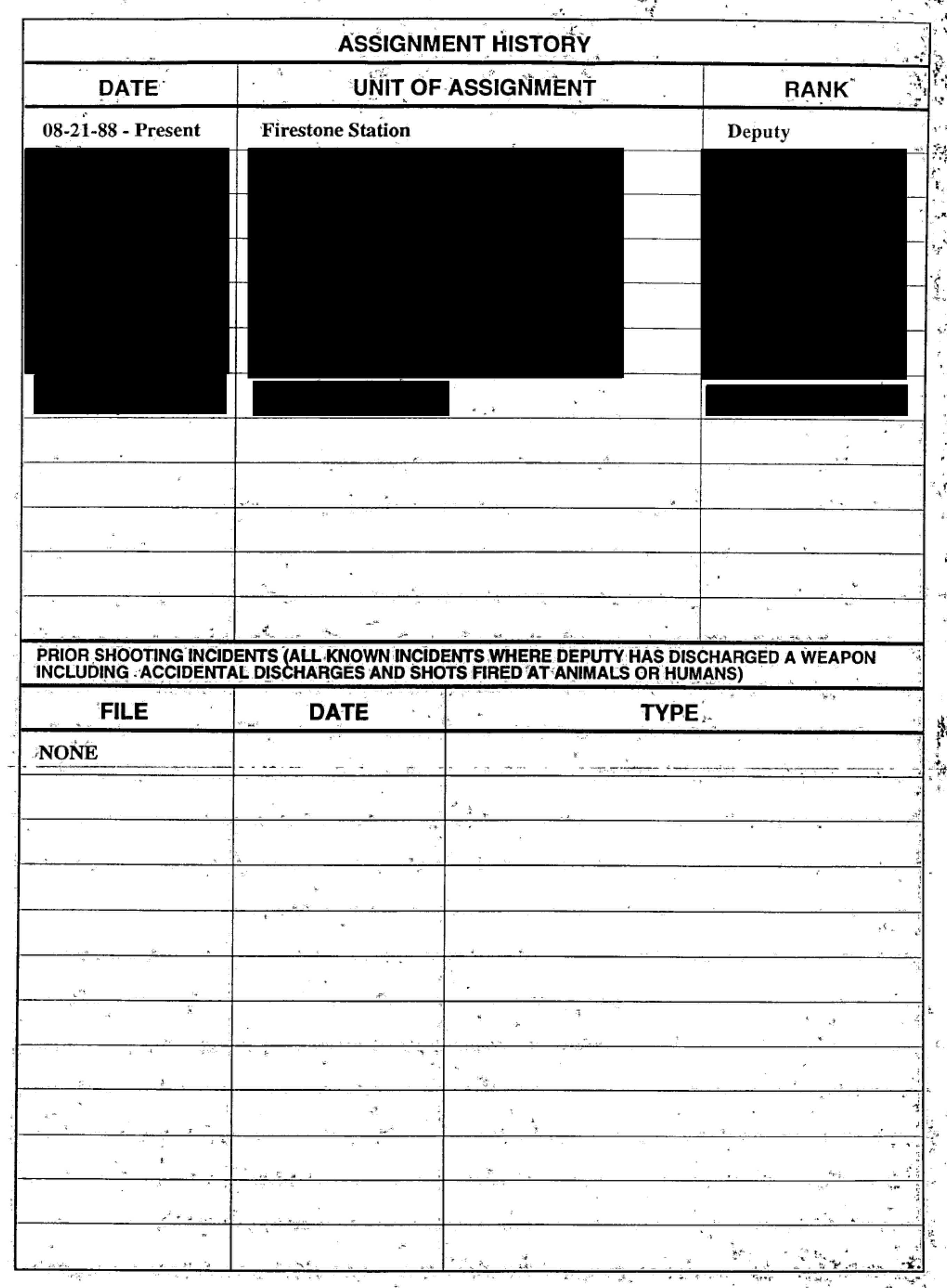
RANGE QUALIFICATION (LAST DATE)	NO. OF ROUNDS FIRED BY DEPUTY	NO. OF HITS
[redacted]	Four (4)	Unknown - See Narrative

DEPUTY'S TOXICOLOGY

UNDER THE INFLUENCE	TEST FOR CAUSE ORDERED	ORDERED BY
No	No	Not Applicable

TRAINING INFORMATION

LASER VILLAGE TRAINING (LAST DATE)	PRACTICAL POLICE COURSE (LAST DATE)
[redacted]	[redacted]



ASSIGNMENT HISTORY

DATE	UNIT OF ASSIGNMENT	RANK
08-21-88 - Present	Firestone Station	Deputy
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

PRIOR SHOOTING INCIDENTS (ALL KNOWN INCIDENTS WHERE DEPUTY HAS DISCHARGED A WEAPON INCLUDING ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES AND SHOTS FIRED AT ANIMALS OR HUMANS)

FILE	DATE	TYPE
NONE		

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DEPUTY INVOLVED

SHOOTER

EMPLOYEE'S NAME					
DUFFY, Vance E.					

RANK	EMPLOYEE NO.	UNIT AND DIVISION / REGION OF ASSIGNMENT
Deputy	[redacted]	Firestone Station/Field Ops. Region II

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE
M	White	6'04"	175	[redacted]	[redacted]

DUTY STATUS	HIRE DATE
On Duty	01-20-88

UNIFORM	RAID JACKET	PLAIN CLOTHES	VEST
Yes	No	No	Yes

INJURED	DECEASED	CORONER'S CASE NO.
No	No	Not Applicable

DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES

Not Applicable

WEAPON USED

TYPE	AUTHORIZED
Ithaca 12Ga. Shotgun	Yes

AMMUNITION TYPE	AUTHORIZED
00 Buckshot - County Issued	Yes

RANGE QUALIFICATION (LAST DATE)	NO. OF ROUNDS FIRED BY DEPUTY	NO. OF HITS
[redacted]	Three (3)	Three (3)

DEPUTY'S TOXICOLOGY

UNDER THE INFLUENCE	TEST FOR CAUSE ORDERED	ORDERED BY
No	No	Not Applicable

TRAINING INFORMATION

LASER VILLAGE TRAINING (LAST DATE)	PRACTICAL POLICE COURSE (LAST DATE)
[redacted]	[redacted]

ASSIGNMENT HISTORY

DATE	UNIT OF ASSIGNMENT	RANK
06-10-90 - Present	Firestone Station	Deputy
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

PRIOR SHOOTING INCIDENTS (ALL KNOWN INCIDENTS WHERE DEPUTY HAS DISCHARGED A WEAPON INCLUDING ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES AND SHOTS FIRED AT ANIMALS OR HUMANS)

FILE	DATE	TYPE
092-09990-0186-055	11-17-92	245 Suspect in a trailer picks up a gun, exits trailer
		and is shot by several deputies

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DEPUTY INVOLVED

SHOOTER

EMPLOYEE'S NAME		
REID, Thomas P.		
RANK	**EMPLOYEE NO.**	**UNIT AND DIVISION / REGION OF ASSIGNMENT**
Deputy	[redacted]	Firestone Station/Field Ops. Region II

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE
M	White	6'01"	205	[redacted]	[redacted]

DUTY STATUS	HIRE DATE
On Duty	12-16-87

UNIFORM	RAID JACKET	PLAIN CLOTHES	VEST
Yes	No	No	Yes

INJURED	DECEASED	CORONER'S CASE NO.
No	No	Not Applicable

DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES

Not Applicable

WEAPON USED

TYPE	AUTHORIZED
Beretta, 92F, 9mm autoloader	Yes - Beretta Conversion & Certification - [redacted]
AMMUNITION TYPE	**AUTHORIZED**
9mm	Yes

RANGE QUALIFICATION (LAST DATE)	NO. OF ROUNDS FIRED BY DEPUTY	NO. OF HITS
[redacted]	Two (2)	Unknown - See Narrative

DEPUTY'S TOXICOLOGY

UNDER THE INFLUENCE	TEST FOR CAUSE ORDERED	ORDERED BY
No	No	Not Applicable

TRAINING INFORMATION

LASER VILLAGE TRAINING (LAST DATE)	PRACTICAL POLICE COURSE (LAST DATE)
[redacted]	[redacted]

ASSIGNMENT HISTORY

DATE	UNIT OF ASSIGNMENT	RANK
03-11-90 - Present	Firestone Station	Deputy
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

PRIOR SHOOTING INCIDENTS (ALL KNOWN INCIDENTS WHERE DEPUTY HAS DISCHARGED A WEAPON INCLUDING ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES AND SHOTS FIRED AT ANIMALS OR HUMANS)

FILE	DATE	TYPE
NONE		

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SUSPECT/SUBJECT

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	M/I
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

ADDRESS
[redacted]

SEX:	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	D.O.B.	AGE	DECEASED
M	Hispanic	5'07"	150	[redacted]	17	Yes

INJURED	DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES
No	Multiple Gunshot Wounds to Body

SUSPECT'S TOXICOLOGY

UNDER THE INFLUENCE	
Unknown	
TYPE OF SUBSTANCE	**LAB TEST CONDUCTED**
Unknown	By Coroner's Office
ARMED	**TYPE OF WEAPON**
Yes	.22 Ca. Autoloader
NUMBER OF SHOTS FIRED BY SUSPECT	**NUMBER OF HITS**
None (0)	Multiple (See Narrative)

SUSPECT VEHICLE
None

CRIMINAL HISTORY (ATTACH COPY OF RAPS)
None Located

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT
See Attached